



## **BEARFACTS 1990 – 2000**

### **Suffolk (Independent City) , Virginia [51800]**

Suffolk (Independent City) is one of 105 counties in Virginia. It is part of the [Virginia Beach-Norfolk-Newport News, VA-NC \(MSA\)](#). Its 2000 population of 64,195 ranked 32nd in the state.

#### **PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2000 Suffolk (Independent City) had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$25,328. This PCPI ranked 37th in the state and was 81 percent of the state average, \$31,086, and 85 percent of the national average, \$29,847. The 2000 PCPI reflected an increase of 7.5 percent from 1999. The 1999-2000 state change was 6.4 percent and the national change was 6.8 percent. In 1990 the PCPI of Suffolk (Independent City) was \$16,396 and ranked 42nd in the state. The 1990-2000 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 4.4 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.3 percent and for the nation was 4.4 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2000 Suffolk (Independent City) had a total personal income (TPI) of \$1,625,939\*. This TPI ranked 32nd in the state and accounted for 0.7 percent of the state total. In 1990 the TPI of Suffolk (Independent City) was \$856,211\* and ranked 34th in the state. The 2000 TPI reflected an increase of 10.6 percent from 1999. The 1999-2000 state change was 7.9 percent and the national change was 8.0 percent. The 1990-2000 average annual growth rate of TPI was 6.6 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.7 percent and for the nation was 5.6 percent.

#### **COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Suffolk (Independent City). In 2000 net earnings accounted for 70.7 percent of TPI (compared with 69.6 in 1990); dividends, interest, and rent were 15.0 percent (compared with 16.4 in 1990); and personal current transfer receipts were 14.3 percent (compared with 13.9 in 1990). From 1999 to 2000 net earnings increased 11.2 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 12.2 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 6.0 percent. From 1990 to 2000 net earnings increased on average 6.8 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 5.7 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 6.9 percent.

#### **EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK**

Earnings of persons employed in Suffolk (Independent City) increased from \$721,277\* in 1999 to \$758,578\* in 2000, an increase of 5.2 percent. The 1999-2000 state change was 9.2 percent and the national change was 8.0 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1990 estimate of \$421,142\* to the 2000 estimate was 6.1 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.9 percent and for the nation was 5.8 percent.

*\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.*